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In Re PATENT APPLICATION Of:

Applicant(s): Kazutaka SHIBATA )  
Serial No: To Be Assigned )  
Filed: December 5, 2003 ) **PRELIMINARY**  
For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE ) **AMENDMENT**  
AND METHOD FOR )  
MANUFACTURING THE SAME )  
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